

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Medicant: Meyer et al. Serial No.: 10/027,657

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TITLE: Method for Interference Suppression for TDMA- and/or

FDMA Transmission

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## In The Claims

Claims 1, 2, 8, and 10 have been amended as follows:

- 1. (Amended) Method for interference suppression for TDMA and/or FDMA transmission, which at least approximately can be described as pulse amplitude modulation, with an arbitrary number of receive antennas, which comprises the following step:
- a) filtering of at least one complex-valued received signal  $r_i(k)$  of one receive antenna with a filter with complex-valued coefficients  $f_i(k)$  for generation of at least one output signal  $y_i(k)$ ;
- b) forming at least one projection of at least one

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